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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Please enter the following Response in the above-identified patent application.

AMENDMENTS

In the Claims:

Please amend Claims 1, 9, 13-14, and 17-19 as follows:

1. (Amended) A dry erase board comprising:
a transparent semi-rigid body having an integrally formed dry-erasable surface,
the body having at least one bent end, wherein the bent end is capable of removably securing a
sheet of paper to the body.

Please cancel Claims 4 and 5 without prejudice or disclaimer.

9. (Amended) A method for manufacturing a dry erase board, the method
comprising the steps of:
providing a transparent semi-rigid body having an integrally formed dry-erasable
surface; and bending a side of the body to create an area for receiving a sheet.

13. (Amended) The method of Claim 9, including the step of providing a sheet for
insertion into the area for receiving the sheet and placing indicia on the sheet.